

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of

von BORSTEL et al

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Appl. No. 09/964,514

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Examiner: Howard V. Owens, Jr.

For: ACYLATED URIDINE AND CYTIDINE AND USES THEREOF

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September 20, 2004

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF NEW OFFICIAL ACTION**

Receipt of the Official Action dated August 31, 2004 is acknowledged. The Official Action is based on claims 1-39. However, claims 1-39 were cancelled in a Preliminary Amendment filed on September 28, 2001. New claims were added by way of the Preliminary Amendment dated September 28, 2001 and November 16, 2001. Copies of the acknowledgement postcards indicating receipt by the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office of those two documents are attached. It is respectfully requested that a new Action issue in which claims 40-66 are examined on the merits.

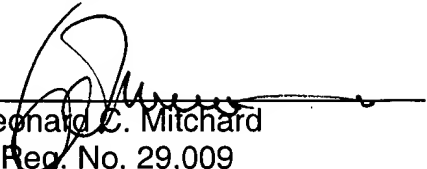
The Examiner (Mr. Owens) was contacted by telephone on September 20, 2004 and a message was left on the Examiner's voice mail. The Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned if any questions arise in connection with this matter.

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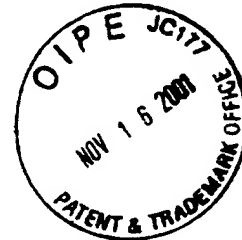


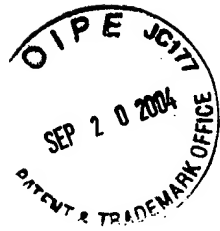
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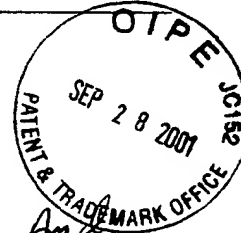
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**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☒ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment 27 minus highest number  
previously paid for 27 (at least 20) = 0 x \$ 18.00 \$ 0.00

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